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1.  This communication is responsive to an amendment filed on 8/22/2008.
2.  The allowed claim(s) is/are 2 and 4-6.
3.  Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
  - a)  All    b)  Some\*    c)  None    of the:
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